# Reaching the Goal.

ONLY A SHORT TIME FOR THE GREAT SUIT SALE TO CLOSE.

Richmond's share is exhausted. This is our

LAST CALL.

\$3.90, \$5, \$7.50, \$10.

Variety Enough, Both in Style and Price.

# Men's Blue Serge Coats,

Double-Breasted, skeleton style. Enough of these Coats to last the week out. Worth a "V" ....

Emmanananananananananan





"The Lessons Taught Us from the Pic-ture of Three Worlds." The sermon will

angerous doctrine promulgated in the

wn through the free circulation of a

Mrs. Henry Hardin, of No. 403 Denny

Mr. John D. Hubbard, of Fulton Hill.

ans accepted a very responsible position with the Virginia and North Carolina

Wheel Company,
Mr. Sheppard Parrish has gone on a
visit to his old home, in Albemaria coun-

Rev. P. F. Rice, missionary to China, accompanied by his wife and two chil-iren, and his sister-in-law, Miss Rebecca 5. Wilson, left Friday for Sin Chang,

Mrs. Hattie Rock, with her two sons

Mrs. C. C. Rice and children left Tues-

day for Gates county, N. C. Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Baltimore, will

A Fulton citizen, who is much interest

certain sensational publication.

erview With God,

APPEARANCE OF THE DOG-CATCH-ERS ATTRACTS MUCH ATTENTION.

THE EXPERIENCE OF A JOKER.

Plays the Role of a Would-Re Sul-

Monday, and their coming was heralded ong time since they had visited here be-

goats, and plus were driven in great hasts out of the reach of the men accompanied by her friend, Miss Maggie with the nets. The dog-catchers, how- Parrish, left yesterday for Raleigh, N. C. himself, which he carried in his arms to a place of safety. After their departure, crowds gathered on the street and discussed their coming. But the howling of superfluous dogs continues unabated, and it is suggested that several night trips

ridding the community of the offending nuisance.

A Folton citizen, who is much interested in the advancement of Fulton, remains is withheld by request, played a practical joke upon a number of his friends a few days ago that he wil not forget for awhile. He was talking among a crowd, and appeared to be in a despairing mood. He went into a back yard conversion, and after some time he returned with his eyes half closed and apparently helpless. This aroused Suspicion. A laudanum bottle was found near-by, and the many hottle was found near-by, and the same are run on a very first schedule. anum bottle was found near-by, and the crowd agreed that he had taken the polana, and adopted the usual method of punching." One, more anxious than the rest to bring him too, dashed a pail of water in blue.

Test to bring him too, dashed a pail of water in his face. It was then that the victim made known that it was one of his jokes, and it was well he did, for he the residence of Mrs. G. A. Dowden, No. ATTACK ON CARMEN. There was great excitement on Lester pie, after which they repaired to the street, in Rocketts, Monday night, occa-

on either side, and the place is as dark and lonely as a forest. There is scarcely

a person in Fulton who has not express-

ed a dread of returning home on foot at

dark by way of Lester street, as it is as

At Denny-Street Engine-house Wednes-

Mrs. P. C. Martin

ductors of the Rithmond Railway and concept of several noise branch and concept of several noise reigned suprems.

Anna Wilks has the soubrette or comedicane part of the programme, and if she in a drunken frenzy. Several ladies were in the car at the time. The negroes were nie, and Ettie Dowden, Jennie Stagg, other cities her reception will equal any other cities her reception will equal any nsked for their fare, which they eclused to pay, and their vile epithets illed the air. The car was stopped to put them off, and it was then that they assaulted the men in charge of the car, who defended the childrens. Tilden Stagg, Arthur Bishop, themselves vigorously, against great odds. Henry Matthews, Frank Childress, and It was a terrible fight, bricks and stones others.

themselves vigorously, against great class. It was a terrible fight, bricks and stones being hurled at the carmen. Another car came up at the time, and the men in charge soon learned the serious state of affairs. They were also set upon by the gang of negroes, who pounded them with everything movable on the street. By this time a large crowd of other negroes joined in the fight, and a lady who saw the sculle at a distance said it was a miracle that the carmen escaped with their lives. The negroes were, however, badly worsted, though one of the conductors, who was hit by flying misalles, received several painful bruises.

The men started their cars as quickly as they could, and continued en route to Fulton. One of the negroes waited on a Gross street for the motorman as he cross street for the motorman as he present were Messes. Willie Burruss. Norman Dunglus, Canelic Clinely, Walter Norman Dunglus, Canelia Cline Norman Dunglus, Canelia Cline Norman Dun cross street for the motorman as he would come around the loop, but was detected and driven from his position.

Lesier street is the most dark and lone-distribution of the city was deviced by higher to be compared to the city was deviced by higher to be city was deviced by higher to be city was deviced by higher to be city was deviced by high c Bome way of travel by night in the city, and the motormen and conductors, as well as pedestrians, know not the hour they simply a gang of rumans. For several squares there is not a house on either ride, and the place is as dark

All weak places in your system effectually closed against disease by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cleanse that howels promptly cure chronic constipation, regulate the liver, and fill you with new life and vigor. Small, pleasant, sure; never gripe. Bodeker Prothers. T. A. Miller.

Mrs. P. C. Martin has returned home, after several weeks' visit to relatives in New York State. Rev. J. M. Yingling, pastor of the Bed ford-Street Methodist church at Cumberland, Md., says: "It affords me much day night a quartette of fine singers filled the air with melody, and the "exilents of the immediate locality enjoyed a freat.

The lawn parties, doubtey parties, and colle, Cholera, and Diarrhosa Remedy. I cake walks, which have been the hourse of much pleasure at night for the past done so. I have never known it to fail. Colle, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy. I peal

## TO TOUR THE WORLD. LEWIS MORRISON EXPECTS TO

CIRCLE THE GLOBE.

OFFERINGS AT VAUDEVILLE RESORTS.

The Head-Liners Are Raymond and Clark at Main-Street, and Gus Williams at the Auditorium-Features

Lewis Morrison, who has "played the levil" so many years, is contemplating a tour around the world. If negotiations now pending result satisfactorily, Mr. Morrison will commence his globe-girdling tour about June 1st, and expects to be two years on the trip. He will visit Honolulu, Japan, China, the Philippines, Australia, South Africa, and England. Mr. Morrison will carry a company of These are "Faust," "The Merchant of Venice," "The Master of Ceremonies," "Richelieu," and the new 'Frederick the Great." A representative of Mr. Morrison has been in the for some time, looking after transportation and other arrangements. It is said that no regularly organized foreign company, carrying its own scenery, has ever travelled in Japan and China.

Mrs. Leslie Carter will appear in "Zaza" at the Garrick Theatre, London, next April, and will also present the tion, David Belasco returned from Europe Mrs. Carter, and it is probable that she will appear in it during the antumn of 900. The other play Mr. Belasco will present later in the season, with a sepa-

Mr. James J. Armstrong, the booking agent for the Main-Street Park, promises that resort this week a bill which is be-

Raymond and Clark are first mentioned. Their act is described as "a farcical character sketch, replete with wit and gro esque and comical actions." Miss Clark s said to be quite a pretty woman. Scott and Wilson, aerobatic comedians, who made their first appearance in New

York at Tony Pastor's last week, are given second place on the Main-Street act somewhat similar to that of the Eli-nore Sisters. The latter were clever, and a completion of last Sunday night's

if the Hale Sisters make good their claims then they will have established themselves as favorites here. Coulter and Starr do a black-face act,

in which they introduce jig dancing. The turn is said to be good. Laura Bennett, who sings yodle and coon songs, completes the bill, which will be presented every night during the

Manager Leath says he has one of the hest bills he has yet presented at the Auditorium. Gus Williams, the popular German comedian, heads the list. His efforts to amuse have proved successful upon many occasions in Richmond, and his personal friends here are numerous. He will tell some new stories and sing

Rev. B. Cabell Hening, pastor of Fut- new parodies. ton Baptist church, will have for his sub-ject this morning "What the Preacher Should Preach"; at 8 P. M., "Adam's In-are heralded as the world's sensational equilibrists, and are said to perform sen-

sational feats of balancing.

Jack Simonds, it is said, is one of the few successful monologuists. He has been well received on some of the roof gardens and at the summer vaudeville r

Miss Josie Hubbard, of Fulton Mill, is in the Cradle" is known here as a great and a visit to her former home, Greens-laugh provoker, Miles and Raymond nave been to Richmond before, and bave

made a splendld impression.

The German comedy sketch to be given by Gilmore and Boabell will, if all that is said of it be true, be well received. Henry Frey played at Broad-Street last summer and at the Bijou last winter; so

the top round of the ladder of vaudevill fame in their line. Harry Foy and Flo

Clark present their original sketch, "The man across the street," which is said to The three Westons-Sam, Carrie, and

the residence of Mrs. G. A. Downey par-2006 east Main street. The spacious par-lors were thrown open to the young peo-lors were thrown open to the young peo-tle thrown open to the young people throw the young people thrown open to the young people throw the young people throw the young people throw the young Richmond with the assurance that its siened by several burly negroes, who vio-lently assaulted the motormen and con-for several hours mirth and joyful happi-a decided hit.

Anna Wilks has the soubrette or comesturpny and Notan, Irish comedians,

Stow and Devoe, high-class travesty artists, promise to become prime favorites. Their part of the bill is to be a novel turn, and will no doubt prove a strong drawing card.

The elevator service at the garden now s quite good, and the crowds are well

The Bond Case in the U. S. Court. In the case of the Board of Commissioners of Stanly county, N. C., vs. W. N. Coler & Co., on an appeal from the United States Circuit Court, at Charlotte, N. C., the United States Circuit Court of Appeals handed down an opinion reersing the decision and directing that the It is not at all certain that the United

States Supreme Court will grant a writ of certiorari in the cases if it is applied What are known as the Wilkes that it had no jurisdiction on the points raised. The non-residence of one of the parties to the Union Bank case may give that case a different standing. In the same court this opinion was also

United States, plaintiff in error vs. Harvey Latham and two barrels of defendant in error; whisacy, etc., the court for the West-error to the District Court for the West-ern District of North Carolina, at Greensboro'. Opinion by Judge Brawley.

Affirmed, with costs.

The court granted an order on motion of appellant in the case of H. G. Wad-ley vs. Blount & Bornton, appeal from the Circuit Court for the Western Disct of Virginia, at Abingdon, allowing appellant a supersedens on the ap-

# PEMBERTON, CORDES & MOSBY.

The Final Wind-Up to a Successful Summer Season. Our unprecedented exhibit of Summer Fabrics for the season of 1899 remains as a pleasant memory with all our patrons. The increase in our sales during the spring and summer season clearly indicates your appreciation of our efforts. We are now on the threshold of another season, of which we feel confident we will not only maintain, but add to our well-earned and undisputed title to leadership. From now on half of the usual midsummer halved prices hold sway here on all summer

fabrics. No great quantity of any one kind, but what is here is New and Fresh, and Priced at About One Fourth Their Former Prices.

#### RIBBONS.

the best grades only, all pure silk, full line of colors in SATIN, GROS-GRAIN, and MOIRE-

No. 3 4e. yar Nos. 5 and 7 5c. yar Nos. 9 and 12 Sc. yar Nos. 16 and 22 10c. yar Fancy Ribbons.

Extra quality TAFFETA RIBBONS new shadings, full line of new and ef-fective checks, stripes, and plaids, form-

REMNANTS OF RIBBONS, ranging 1 length from 1-2 to 11-2 yards, at one fourth their former prices.

October Term.

REMNANTS OF NAINSOOK, CAM-BRIC, AND SWISS EDGES AND IN-SERTIONS, in good and useful lengths, at greatly reduced prices.

DAY AT POWHATAN C. H.

A POSTPONEMENT IS THOUGHT LIKELY

Witnesses from a Distance May Not

Be on Hand, and the Defence May

Ask That the Case Go Over to the

The case of W. G. Pilkinton, of Pow-

hatan, who was indicted last month for

Mr. Pilkinton, when in town a day or so

ago, said to a Dispatch man that the de-

as to whether the prosecution would be

ready, and in the absence of such in-

formation, they had not summoned their

witnesses from a distance. He thought,

HIGH-GRADE LACES at half price-

APPLIQUE, CHANTILLY,

POINT DE GENE, w and effective patterns, ranging in dith from 2 to 16 inches, at just half oir former prices.

#### lany Very Good, But xtremely Low-Priced Silks.

50c. PRINTED CHINA SILKS, this sea BLACK BROCADED INDIAS 396 Sc., and 31 FIGURED SEPTIMES 

#### Leather Belts.

#### WASH GOODS.

## AND IRISH CROCHET, | Real Scotch Ginghams,

#### Brocatelles.

#### Paper Fans,

new and tasty patterns, this season's styles, at less than one-third their former 

### HOSIERY.

LADIES FAST BLACK, FULL REGULAR MADE COTTON HOSE, the 162-3 LADIES EXTRA QUALITY. SOLES, AND TOES STOCKINGS A

#### Parasols.

# THE PILKINTON CASE.

RICHMOND SCULPTOR ABROAD.

William Sievers Was Successful in His Classes in Europe.

William Sievers, of this city, who and modelling in the Virginia Mechanics' Institute, which position he relinquished

trial at the institute. I was one of the I forward you photographs of the work. The statue is my own idea, and entitled, "Looking Into the Future." It is hig-size and represents about thicty-six days' work—six hours a day. The rust is a colossal-size portrait study, and was modelled in thirty-five hours. You can judge from the photos that the work is unfaished, and naturally the work can't go to the expesition, though I will win the highest award for this term. Our he highest award for this term. n beginning work."

and more than fulfil the promises of the earlier efforts of Mr. Sievers in accipture. Mr. Sievers has not, however, renounced his first love-wood-carving-of which he has furnished some exquisite and most rtistic examples. He also writes "I have begun work on a bedstead for

75c. Only 75c. ROUND-TRIP TICKETS TO

> NORFOLK AND NEWPORT NEWS. STEAMER POCAHONTAS

SATURDAY NIGHT, August 10th, 10 O'CLOCK.

Ladies and Children, 50c. each.



## "Everything Comes to The Man That Waits.

and we suppose it will come our way some time. For the present it is all your way. We are going to hold on to the old prices as long as possible, but don't delay sending in your order. We will have to advance prices very soon, and

you want a new roof get our prices on V-Crimp or Corrugated Iron.

Tin in boxes or in rolls at astonishing prices.

Try us for Wire or Cut Nails, Barb or Plain Wire, Poultry Netting, Paints, Oils, Varnish,

## BALDWIN & BROWN,

Opposite Old Market, Richmond, Va.

Wholesale Hardware, Roofing, Tin Plate, &c. 

a grandson of James W. Paul, of Phila-delphia. Several of his ancestors on his mother's side were gallant American naval officers.

## "Prisoners of Hope."

matter the other day-namely, the fact that not a copy of a recent highly sucessful book had been sold in the au ther's native town-the Constitution took occasion to refer briefly to "Prisoners of Hope," by Mary Johnston, remarking that it is in a class by itself and stands alone, so far as American fiction is con-cerned. We now recur to the mat-er for the purpose of congratuating our readers on the fact that this book, which places its author at the head of modern writers of American fiction, is from the pen of a young woman, a native of Virginia, now living in Sirmingham, who can hardly be said to have reached the prime of her intellectual ower. In felicitating ourselves on the fact that

(New York World.)

CHICAGO, II.L., August 11.—The World sent a telegram to W. J. Bryan, at Petersburg, Ill., to-night, saying:

"Newsyaper correspondents at Pana." "Newspaper correspondents at Pana, Ill., and Lithia Springs record you as saying you do not care whether you are the Democratic nominee for President one year hence or not, if the precepts of the Chicago platform are carried out. Will you kindly wire what you did say?"

The answer received was:
"Petersburg, Ill. August II.—Have not seen reports mentioned. Whether I shall be a candidate will depend largely on the platform. The piatform should fit the platform.

W. J. BRYAN."

Young Astor a Good American.
(New York World.)

Perhaps it may be difficult to justify so extreme a statement, but since tha bulk of modern criticism is mere personal opin. In, according to his lights. Nevertheless, "Prisoners of Hope" is a successful attempt to blend the novel proper with pure romance. Its object is to place before our eyes a picture of the early Colonial period. This is very successfully done. The scheme is carried out with a certain grave restraint that appeals powerfully to the imagination, and with a simplicity that is not to be matched in modern fiction; but the whole result and effect of the book is to leave the reader awed and subdued the human mind can realize this side of Heaven.

The reader is awed and subdued be-

thralled by the fine fdeals that have been

(Atlanta Constitution.) In dealing with a somewhat trifling

he author of "Prisoners of Hope" is a outherner, we confess to that provincial ride which may very well go hand it hand with larger views. Provinciality of the right sort is not the narrow affair that some would have us believe. It is nherent in all races who have high ideals f home, which means that it is particurly prominent in the combination of Celt and Anglo-Saxon, which forms the bulk of the white population of the South. "Prisoners of Hope" is a story of early Colonial times, and carries out with perfect art all the conditions and details that belong to that period. Some essayist that belong to that period. Some essayist remarked the other day that writers of American fiction would search in this country in vain for color and atmosphere properly so called. Why? Well, it is the benefit of the banks of the United States, and uniform laws governing the charges for collecting checks, are achievements for which leading bankers of this city and the East will work at the convention. whilen a defined by the country and the banking interests of the country a clearinghouse from which every member may ascertain the credit and solvency of pairons
who wish to obtain credit from the banks.
New York city has been deeded upon as
the location for this exchange, but the
system will be so extensive that bankers
all over the country may take advantage
of it.

movement yas suggested by the
for the collecfor the collecfor the collecfor the collecfor the collecfor the collecfor the collecbath color and atmosphere is that
witters persistently try to point them
out. They mist on presenting them to
the mind as something tangible, and the
fliusion vanishes. In this remarkable
bath color and atmosphere present called his attention to "Prisoners of Hope." For here is a book in which an ever-deepening scheme preceding and following the movement and bending tenderly over the motive. They do not seem to belong to the tale, but they are a part of it, and give the reader an op-portunity to breathe the finest air that

25-Sud Tudw

Negro Posimaster Was Killed. COLUMBIA, S. C., August 12.-The Post-Office Department has decided on putting a woman in charge of the Lake City

States post-office there was closed when the citizens of the town resented the appointment of Baker, a negro, as postmaster. Baker was shot down from ambush in the course of a few weeks altay he took office, and his family was forced to leave the place. Since then there has been no mail handled in the town.

Mrs. C. W. McClain, who until recently was a resident of Harmen, III, has been chosen, it is understood, for the place. Mrs. McClain, as Miss Wilson, was the railroad agent and telegraph operator at Harmon, III, until in taking a trip through the South a few years ago she met and married McCain. Since the death of her husband she has been working as a telegrapher at Lake City, and is said to be on the heat of terms with the people there. master. Baker was shot down from a

## A Turtle Story.

A Turile Story.

A dispatch from Susquehannah, Pa., says: "Thirteen years mo Miss Beatrice Harridan and a party of other Philadelphia young ladies spent the summer at Oquaga Lake. One day while bathing Miss Harridan placed her diamond engagement ring on a log to prevent the water from injuring the setting.

"When the party had completed their diversion the ring was missing. There was consternation in the delegation, and Miss Harridan refused to be consoled. She offsred a large reward for the return

soup.
"In dissecting the creature Miss Harri-can's lost engagement ring was found in its stomach. Miss Harridan is now mar-ried, but it was forwarded by the pro-prietor of the farmhouse to her present

## Boys in a Runaway.

Germantown address.

Tom Leahy and Russell High, two boys, were riding in a buggy in the violalty of the locomotive-works about 19:39 o'clock yesterday morning, when the horse le-came frightened at a passing lecometive and ran away. The buggy struck a tele-graph pole and was demolished, and the boys were thrown out and considerably bruised. No bones were broken. Dr. Goode, in charge of the city ambulance, attended the boys, treated them, and lett

## Sixth Virginia Cavatry.

The sixteenth annual reunion of the Sixth Virginia Cavalry will be held at Berryville on the Eld instant, Invitations to attend are being received here from the committee in charge of arrangements consisting of Measrs, R. O. Allon, N. Moore, C. McCormick, D. Meade, W. T. Milton, George C. Shepherd, and T. J.

#### Lady Brenks Her Ankle. Miss Perdue daughter of Mr. S. R. Per-

ankle. She and a child were in a ham



### POWHATAN COURT-HOUSE, SHOWING THE PORTICO ON WHICH MR. ELANAGAN WAS SHOT.

to ask for a continuance.

ARRAY OF EMINENT COUNSEL. Interest in the case has by no means abated, and if the trial is gone into this week it will be watched closely, both by the many friends of the dead sena-tor and by those of Mr. Pilkinton. The array of counsel in the case is such as would attract attention, even though the principal in the trial was not well known Colonel William F. Wickham, Hon-George D. Wise, and Mr. H. M. Smith present an act declared to be out of the usual run of "Irish" turns.

Stow and Devoe, high-class travesty artists, promise to become prime favor-

ney for this district. The trial will be had in the court-house, in front of which the fatal shot was fred, and a large number of witnesses who were present at the time of the stilling will testify. Mr. Plikinton will adoubtedly take the stand himself, and a will claim that the shot was fired n self-defence while Mr. Fianngan was attacking him from behind with fists. He will further assert that he not draw the pistol with the intent to kill, but merely for the purpose of frightening his assailant off, and that the weapon was exploded in a struggle with an officer of the law, who attempted to

gain possession of it. THE POLITICAL CONTEST. THE POLITICAL CONTEST.

On the other hand, the Commonwealth will endeavor to prove, it is understood, that Mr. Flanagan did not strike Mr. Pilkinton from behind; that he came up in front of him and began the attack. The provocation for this action will be traced as far as possible, and the fend which had existed between the two gentlemen as the result of a political contest for the office of Commonwealth's est for the office of Commonwealth Attorney of Pewhatan will be gone into Altogether, the trial will be exceedingly interesting, though it is not likely that it will be long drawn out. It may be that some trouble will be experien in securing a jury in Powhatan, and that in view of the feeling alleged to exist in that county, the defence will ask for a change of venue, but it is not likely that Judge Miller, the trial judge, will grant any such motion, and the case will most likely be tried in Powhatun.

Services at Soldiers' Home.

cake-walks, which have been the cource of much pleasure at night for the past several months, and, which were held on the lawn opposite Donebue's Hall, are more. Not a gilmager of light tor merry sound emmates from the culcular now.

In Practicing Medicine Now.

In Practicing Medicine Now.

Is Practicing Medicine Now.

Is Practicing Medicine Now.

Is Practicing Medicine Now.

It is a sure care when taken in time."

Is Practicing Medicine Now.

It is a sure care when taken in time."

Is Practicing Medicine Now.

It is a sure care when taken in time."

In Practicing Medicine Now.

It is reported that William Waldorf, the veterans and the public seneral of the veterans and the public seneral to the veterans and the public seneral of the veterans and th

Mr. —. He has selected a very clabo rate design, and it is enough to keep m-busy for at least eighteen months."

To Ascertain Credit of All Would-Be Bank Patrons. CHICAGO, ILL, August 12.-A local

FOR A GIANT CLEARING-HOUSE.

for which leading bankers of this city and the East will work at the convention of the American Bankers' Association, to be held in Cleveland September 5th, 6th, and 7th

BRYAN ON THE PLATFORM,

His Candidacy for the Presidency Will Depend on Its Terms, (New York World.)